

1 STATE OF OKLAHOMA

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3 COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE
4 FOR

5 SENATE BILL NO. 1877

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8 An Act relating to public buildings; defining terms;
9 requiring appropriate authority of covered public
10 building to ensure availability of lactation room;
11 providing for codification; and providing an
12 effective date.

13 BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA:

14 SECTION 1. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified
15 in the Oklahoma Statutes as Section 334 of Title 61, unless there is
16 created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

17 A. As used in this section:

18 1. "Appropriate authority" means the head of a state agency or
19 other official authority responsible for the operation of a covered
20 public building;

21 2. "Covered public building" means a building owned or leased
22 by the state where state employees work; and

23 3. "Lactation room" means a hygienic place, other than a
24 bathroom, that:

- a. is shielded from view,
- b. is free from intrusion, and
- c. contains a chair, a working surface, and, if the public building is otherwise supplied with electricity, an electrical outlet.

B. The appropriate authority of a covered public building shall ensure that the building contains a lactation room that is made available for use by state employees to breast feed or express breast milk.

SECTION 2. This act shall become effective November 1, 2020.

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